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SUBJECT: JAPANESE FISHING VESSEL JIKYU MARU NO. 17

REF: TOKYO 7960

1. JIKYU MARU NO. 17 (HKI-573) OBSERVED FISHING IN US TERRITORIAL WATERS (POSITION 51-58N, 178-13E) OFF SEGULA ISLAND 6 JUNE LOCAL TIME BY USCG AIRCRAFT. UPON NOTIFICATION THAT SHE WAS IN VIOLATION OF US TERRITORIAL WATERS, VESSEL ATTEMPTED TO ESCAPE. TWO MESSAGE BLOCKS DROPPED ON DECK ORDERING HER TO STOP IMMEDIATELY BUT VESSEL CONTINUED TO RUN. HOT PURSUIT MAINTAINED BY UTILIZING SEVERAL AIRCRAFTS UNTIL USCG CUTTER MIDGETT ARRIVED ON SCENE TO CONTINUE CHASE. FOLLOWING SEIZURE MASTER OF JIKYU MARU REFUSED TO PROCEED UNDER OWN POWER TO KODIAK AND AGREED TO DO SO ONLY AFTER CONTACTED BY RADIO BY JAPANESE INSPECTION VESSEL TOKO MARU WHICH WAS NOTIFIED OF SITUATION BY USCG.

2. CIVIL PENALTY OF US DOLLARS 400,000 EXPECTED TO BE ASSESSED AGAINST VESSEL AND CRIMINAL PENALTY OF 10,000 UNCLASSIFIED

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AGAINST MASTER. IN ADDITION, AS PART OF OVERALL SETTLE-

MENT, WE UNDERSTAND JAPANESE SIDE HAS AGREED TO FORFEIT
CATCH VALUED AT 20,000 TO 30,000 DOLLARS. KISSINGER

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